

Subject: L.A. 360: Defending DACA
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Hi Misty,

Here's a quick rundown of what we've been up to this week.

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DACA

The President's announcement to [rescind Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals is a giant setback for America](#) because all of our children should feel safe and accepted in a country that belongs to them. DACA has allowed close to 800,000 ambitious, patriotic young people to start careers, stay in school, and give back to our communities without fear of being torn from the people they love.

His action on DACA is cruel — it threatens to tear families apart, puts our

economy at risk, and will do nothing to unify America or make us more secure. The President should open his heart to the scores of families anguished by his decision, and reverse a course where he is so plainly on the wrong side of history and justice. I urge Congress to act as quickly as possible to pass legislation to [protect the beneficiaries of DACA](#), giving millions of our relatives, friends, and neighbors the security and peace of mind that they deserve. DACA recipients are all of us: teachers, students, business owners, young people thinking about starting families of their own in the only country they know: the United States. [They belong here. And we'll fight for them to stay.](#)

Thanks for reading! As always, I'd love to get your feedback on how we are doing on [Facebook](#) & [Twitter](#).

Eric Garcetti
Your Mayor



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